



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

AGGARWAL

Application No. 09/701,195

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For: METHOD AND ASSOCIATED
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STANDARDIZED GRADING
OF GEMSTONES

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Official Action mailed on March 26, 2003 setting forth a requirement to restrict the claims of this application, the Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the claims of Group II, Claims 42 to 53. Please cancel the non-elected claims, Claims 30 to 33 and 36 to 41, subject to the right to file a divisional application containing the canceled claims.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

In the event a fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fee to the account of the undersigned attorneys, Account No. 04-1406. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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